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 DENTAL HAND INSTRUMENT) CONFIRMATION NO.:
 COMPRISING COMPONENTS WHICH
 CAN BE DISPLACED IN RELATION TO
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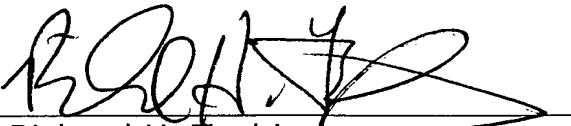
Sir:

With respect to the application papers filed yesterday, the inventors herewith submit their executed Declaration, which is attached to a copy of WO 2004/056280.

Respectfully submitted,

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